

INDICATIONS POINT TO SEVERE BLOW
DEALT JAPANESE SEA POWER; MAY
HAVE BEEN CRIPPLED IN TRUK ASSAULT

Details Awaited of Assault Against the Japanese "Pearl Harbor" — American Marine and Army Invasion Troops Swarmed Over Eniwetok Atoll in Northwestern Marshall Islands.

By Joseph A. Bors

(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—(INS)—All indications pointed toward the conviction today that Japanese sea power was dealt a stunning if not a crippling blow in the smashing assault on the enemy's fleet base at Truk by hundreds of American carrier-based planes.

While details were awaited on the assault against the Japanese "Pearl Harbor," American Marine and Army invasion troops swarmed over Eniwetok atoll in the Northwestern Marshalls only 770 miles northeast of the battered Truk base.

Capture of Eniwetok would give the United States an important base within easy reach of Truk for land-based bombers. Recently General Douglas MacArthur's invasion forces captured the Green Islands in the Northern Solomons, only 500 miles south of Truk.

Developments thus intimated that Truk in the near future would be the target of a pincers aerial offensive by land-based bombers from the Central and South Pacific. Such an offensive might obviate the need for invading bomb-carried Truk.

The landing on Eniwetok virtually sealed the doom of thousands of Japanese troops which still remained behind America's front line in the other Marshalls atolls.

The speed of America's offensive left the Japanese high command stunned as reports from Tokyo gave conflicting explanations of current operations in the Central Pacific.

At first Tokyo reported that American forces were landing on Truk in force and later the action was minimized as merely a U. S. reconnaissance in force.

Tokyo also furnished another alibi for its hiding fleet by stating that it was waiting an opportunity for its supreme blow at the United States.

However, the mighty fleet of Admiral Chester W. Nimitz and army and navy airmen were giving the Japanese no rest and no chance to recuperate.

Meanwhile the attack on Truk was hailed in Washington by Secretary of the Navy Knox and others as a telling victory for American arms although details were lacking because the task forces were compelled to observe radio silence following the initial report that the assault was under way.

The nation awaited anxiously news of just how much damage was accomplished by the hundreds of carrier-based planes against Japan's important fleet base.

It was not known how many Japanese warships and cargo ships were trapped by dive and torpedo bombers within the comparatively small confines of the island-studded Truk lagoon. Prior to the attack at least 25 warships were sighted at one anchorage in Truk by American reconnaissance planes.

Obviously the invasion of Eniwetok was going well since Nimitz spoke boldly of the fact that "the capture of Eniwetok atoll has been undertaken by forces of the Pacific Ocean areas."

LOCAL WEATHER
OBSERVATIONS
FOR 24 HOUR PERIOD ENDING 8 A. M.
AT ROHM & HAAS WEATHER OBSERVATORY
BRISTOL, PA.

Temperature Readings
Maximum 47 F
Minimum 13 F
Range 34 F

Hourly Temperatures
8 a. m. yesterday 43
9 40
10 37
11 34
12 noon 31
1 p. m. 28
2 25
3 22
4 19
5 16
6 13
7 10
8 7
9 4
10 1
11 0
12 midnight 25
1 a. m. today 21
2 17
3 14
4 11
5 8
6 5
7 2
8 0

P. C. Relative Humidity 67
Precipitation (inches) 0
(Figures for some hourly periods not available at observatory, due to failure of recording instruments.)

TIDES AT BRISTOL
High water 12.10 p. m.
Low water 6.39 a. m.; 7.24 p. m.

Business Girls Entertain
35 Army and Navy Men

The Bristol Business Girls Club entertained 35 men of the army and navy, Wednesday, in the social room of Bristol Methodist Church, when they staged a "Sweater Girl" Valentine party. The girls were attired in sweaters and skirts of pastel shades.

The room was decorated with red and white streamers, large red and white bows, and red hearts scattered on the walls. The committee in charge of decorations included the Misses Winifred Daniels, Hannah Bracken, "Betty" Brown, Stella Mama, Norma Chambers and Margaret Yeagle.

Music for the affair was by a band. Entertainment, and prizes for special dances, were in charge of the Misses Eunice McVaine, Margaret Yeagle, and Lenore Medina.

Mrs. J. Leslie Kilcoyne, counselor for the group, acted as hostess for the evening.

The Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary of Croydon, donated cigarettes and candy for the boys.

The club gave each boy two packs of cigarettes, two packs of gum, two bars of candy, one box of tooth powder, and a postal card view of Bristol.

Refreshments were served buffet style, the table being decorated with all sizes of red hearts and Valentine napkins. Refreshments were in charge of the following committee: the Misses "Betty" Wolfinger, Thelma Connors, Dorothy Everett, Evelyn Delaney, and Helen Houser.

Among the service men present was one of Bristol's own, Robert Kershaw, of Swain street.

The club is making plans for a St. Patrick's party for service men to be held March 15th in Bristol Methodist Church. All Bristol boys home on furloughs are invited to attend.

Transportation for the service men was furnished by Fleetwings, Inc., and Hunter Mfg. Corp.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Unangst, of Richlandtown, observed their golden anniversary on Thursday. They were married in Allentown on February 17, 1894, by the Rev. A. P. Horne, who was then pastor of Trinity Reformed Church, Springfield.

Mrs. Unangst before her marriage was Laura Koch, Springfield. They are the parents of three daughters and have ten grandchildren.

Paul E. Daniels, a former president of the Mountain Run Chapter, Future Farmers of America, of Continued On Page Four

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Another Fire Pump
Arrives for Bristol

Another piece of emergency fire fighting equipment was sent here yesterday by the U. S. Government. It is another trailer pump of 500 gallons capacity.

The new pump of the same type as the previous two to arrive here is now quartered in the municipal fire station.

INFANT BURIED

The infant son of Pvt. and Mrs. Henry Arcollesse was buried in St. Mark's Cemetery on Thursday. Pvt. Arcollesse is stationed at Camp Wheeler, Ga.

TONSILS REMOVED

"Betty" Ann Ferguson, of Cornwells Heights, had her tonsils removed at Harriman Hospital, yesterday.

James Campbell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Campbell, Morrisville, entered the U. S. Navy, and is training at Bainbridge, Md.

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Return To Tunisia; Writer Visits Battlefields

This is the sixth in a series of twelve articles by an International News Service Staff Correspondent, describing a return visit to Tunisian battlefields. Today's article was written in Feriana, once the headquarters of Lieut. Gen. George S. Patton, Jr., commander of American II Corps during the recapture of Gafsa and the Battle of El Guettar last March.

By Graham Hovey
(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

FERIANA, Tunisia, Feb. 19.—(INS)—It looked as though the hotel might be closed up, and that would have broken my heart, but as soon as I walked into the tiny lobby which also serves as a bar, huge Papa Flageolet came forth from the kitchen to greet me, and I knew immediately that everything was all right in Feriana.

A tour of the Tunisian battlefields could skip Feriana and miss nothing of historical military importance, for there was never much fighting around the little town. But if sentiment were considered, Feriana would have to be on the schedule and it was sentiment which brought me back to Mama and Papa Flageolet and their tiny hotel, just a block off the main highway running from Tebessa to Gafsa.

When the Tunisian war moved up north in its closing phase, Mama and Papa Flageolet returned to their hotel, and today I found them carrying on cheerfully, despite the fact that they have never been able to replace the beds and bedding stolen by the Germans and Arabs, and that good food and good wine are now hard to get in Tunisia.

It was our good fortune to find that the Flageolet's youngest son, Roger, was home on holiday from his school at Ain Draham in northern Tunisia. Roger speaks good English and soon we were engaged in a lively session about the memorable days a year ago. But not until Mama had taken us upstairs to show us how the Arabs had completely cleaned out the rooms occupied by columnist Ernie Pyle and Jack Thompson, the bearded Chicago Tribune correspondent, and to assign us to room No. 12, which still had two big double beds.

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First Natal Anniversary
Marked by Local Baby

Mr. and Mrs. Marinus Bakelaar, Third Avenue, gave a birthday party for their son Robert evening in honor of his first anniversary. The children had a merry time playing with toys, and refreshments were served. The table was attractive with Valentine decorations. Favors were small red baskets of candy. Robert received many gifts.

Those present: Marilyn Higgins, "Betty" DeVolpi, John Lewis, Thomas DesLauriers, Edward and Norman Bakelaar, Mrs. Thomas Higgins, Mrs. Edward Thomas, Miss Jean Jamieson, Bristol; Dorothy Bahrenburg and Mrs. Harold Bahrenburg, Edgely.

We came back in during the last days of February, but Mama and Papa stayed with friends for the next month or so while the Army requisitioned the hotel, which had been ransacked and almost stripped by the Germans and unfriendly Arabs during the battle of Kasserine Pass. When the First Division started the American forces on the offensive again on March 17 by recapturing Gafsa, Lieut. Gen. George S. Patton, Jr., then commanding American II Corps, resided at the Feriana hotel and had his office headquarters in the postoffice and some French barracks a couple of blocks away.

General Patton, his staff officers and the Allied war correspondents had their mess in the hotel's little dining room.

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Students Take Tests To
Join U. S. A. Air Force

The United States Army Air Force held a screen test for 17-year-old students at the Central High School in Philadelphia yesterday.

Capt. D. D. Bardwell gave a 15-minute talk, which was followed by the test which lasted from 9:45 until one p. m. Captain Bardwell was assisted by Lt. Marty Green, C. A. P.; Cpl. Sterling, and Warrant Officer Teiger.

Two rooms were used for the tests to accommodate 142 boys. Capt. Bardwell left to keep a radio appointment and the classes were then turned over to the C. A. P. officers.

The boys taking the test were eager and enthusiastic. In order to pass they must make a grade of 203 out of 390 questions.

The questions are such as to bring out the student's aptitude, speed and observation. There are 45 questions given at 15-minute intervals for two periods; 60 questions at five-minute intervals and then 150 questions at two-hour intervals.

This test is the regular Air Force Screening test. The papers are sent to the AAF offices in the Customs House, Philadelphia, for grading. Those passing are then notified and must get the consent of their parents. Following this they are given a medical examination at 32nd and Lancaster avenue Army induction center. If this examination is passed then they are sworn into the A. A. P. Enlisted Reserve, and upon attaining the age of 18 are called into the air force for additional specialized training.

In the meantime they will receive military training in the subjects for pre-induction training from C. A. P. instructors and can wear the army uniform with the proper insignias.

Boys from this vicinity ranging in age from 16 to 18 may obtain further information by contacting Lt. Green at 237 Mill street.

Schaums Entertain At
Their Croydon Residence

CROYDON, Feb. 19.—Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Schaum entertained several friends at their home on Thursday evening. Games were enjoyed by the group.

Refreshments were served to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. William Luchinsner and son "Billy," Mrs. Fred Devoe, Jr., and daughter Ruth, Mrs. Ira Brown, Mrs. Sara Wright, Mrs. William Ganthier, Mrs. Fred Devoe, Sr., the Misses Laura and Barbara Schaum and Clifford Halgate.

Club Members View
BEAUTIES OF WEST

John Burriss Tells of Motor
Journey to National
Parks

MUSIC IS PROVIDED

With John Parr, as "guide," Travel Club members travelled in fancy yesterday afternoon to many beauty spots of the western United States, having brought before them by word and through picture the deep canyons, high peaks, swift-running mountain streams, and the wild life of numerous states.

Mr. Burriss, a member of Bristol high school faculty, who was introduced by Mrs. William Duffell, told how plans for the journey by automobile four years ago grew

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BUCKS CO. WOMAN
LEAVES ESTATE TO
HUSBAND IN TRUST

Mrs. Annie I. Zweier Names
Son-in-Law and Son
To Be in Charge

THE KODER ESTATE

Will of Leroy L. Walters,
Nockamixon, Written On
Page of A Diary

DOYLESTOWN, Feb. 19.—Elizabeth Koder, Richlandtown, who died January 1, 1944, left all of her estate to her great-grandchildren, Maynard L. Keller, Clyde R. Keller, and Paul D. Keller, and named her granddaughter, Viola E. Keller, as executrix. The personal property of the estate is valued at \$200 with no real estate. The will was dated August 6, 1943.

The will of Annie I. Zweier, Quakertown, who died January 2, 1944, left her estate in trust with her son-in-law, David L. Weaver, and her son, Vernon J. Zweier, during the lifetime of her husband, Clement D. Zweier, and requires them to maintain the home place at 25 S. Eleventh street, Quakertown, from the interest of the trust for the benefit of her husband. At his death the estate is to be converted into cash and given to her daughters, Ruth and Eva, share and share alike. In a codicil to the will, the furnishings and contents of the home, at the death of her husband, are to be divided equally among her daughters, Edith, Eva and Ruth. The will was dated November 16, 1932 and the codicil the same date. The estate consists of personal property valued at \$1,000 and the house and lot at 25 S. Eleventh street, Quakertown, valued at \$3,500.

Written on the identification page of a small pocket diary and dated July 20, 1912, the will of Leroy L. Walters, Nockamixon township, who died December 19, 1943, left all his property to his wife in the simple statement, "If I die, all my possessions go to my wife, Mrs. Helena Walters." His estate, consisting of personal property only, is valued at \$275. Helena Walters was appointed Administrator, C. T. A.

John A. Weisel, Quakertown, who died December 18, 1943, left an estate of personal property valued at \$1,000 to be distributed equally among his three children, William F. Weisel, Henry E. Weisel and Clara M. Nickel. A son, William F. Weisel, M. D., was named as executor in the will which was dated June 8, 1939.

George Ferguson Dies;
Was Ill for 15 Months

Ill for the past 15 months, since he suffered a cerebral hemorrhage, George Ferguson died at his home, 228 East Circle yesterday. He was 56 years of age.

His wife, Katherine; a daughter, Mrs. Russell Herman, Bristol; a son, Pvt. William James Ferguson, now in Ireland; a sister, a brother and mother in New York state, survive.

Mr. Ferguson had resided in this borough for 27 years.

The rites will be held from the Wm. L. Murphy Est. funeral parlors, 316 Jefferson avenue, on Tuesday at nine a. m., with High Requiem Mass in St. Mark's Church at 10 o'clock. Burial is to be in St. Mark's Cemetery.

HULMEVILLE

Mrs. Elwood Buck entertained at luncheon on Tuesday: Mrs. John Dunn, Sr., Mrs. George Thorpe and Mrs. Charles Thorpe.

A total of \$2,500 in war bonds and stamps has been sold through pupils of Hulmeville-Middletown public school, from September to the present time, a report made by members of the faculty shows.

On Tuesday evening Mrs. Walter Jackson will entertain members of the Peppy Pals club.

If you have a room or apartment for rent advertise it in the Courier.

WHAT OUR BOYS
ARE DOING TO
WIN THE WAR

NAVAL TRAINING STATION,
Sampson, N. Y., Feb. 19.—Blue-jacket William Walter Miller, S. 2/c, Maple avenue, Newportville, Bucks County, Pa., completed his recruit training February 10th, at this naval training station on the shores of Seneca Lake and will be granted leave.

Upon his return to Sampson, he will be eligible for further assignment which may qualify him for a petty officer rating.

17 Army Fliers Killed in Crash of Bombers

Phoenix, Ariz.—Seventeen army fliers were killed when two B-24 bombers collided in mid-air and crashed 20 miles northeast of Phoenix yesterday. Both planes, flying in formation, were based at Davis-Monthan Field, Tucson.

Honor Langhorne Officer; Now Prisoner of Nazis

Philadelphia—A distinguished flying cross and six air medals today were presented by Col. F. Schoenfeld, commanding officer of the Philadelphia Recruiting and Induction district, to the next of kin of six Army Air Forces heroes in ceremonies at the customs house in Philadelphia.

Those to whom the awards were presented included: James R. Newbold, RD 2, of Langhorne, Pa., father of 2nd Lieut. William P. Newbold, who has been reported a prisoner of war of the Germans, earned the distinguished flying cross and an air medal with one oak leaf easter. The DFC was awarded to the youthful Langhorne resident "for distinguished himself by extraordinary achievement, while participating in operations against the Ploesti Oil Refineries of Rumania on August 1, 1943." He earned the air medal with oak leaf cluster "for exceptionally meritorious achievement while participating in ten separate bomber combat missions over enemy-occupied continental Europe."

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INFLATION AVERTED
The conviction that there will be no runaway wartime inflation in the United States is gaining ground. This sentiment is substantiated by W. W. Craig, an expert of the New York Stock Exchange.

Mr. Craig points out that the 1943 national income was \$126,000,000,000. Of this, \$90,000,000,000 was spent for goods and services. War bond subscriptions, life insurance premiums, pension reserves, debt payments and other factors absorbed all but \$3,800,000,000 of the remainder. That much is floating around to provide fuel for inflation.

Mr. Craig does not doubt that the public has sufficient quickly cashable assets to provide a highly favorable setting for inflation. Prices have advanced. But the machinery set up to break down price advances has worked. Rises have not been so precipitate as in World War I.

Coupon rationing has curbed wild bidding for goods. War bond sales have mopped up surplus cash. And, Mr. Craig argues, inflationary elements have been curbed because many people chose to do something with their money besides buy merchandise. If extravagance is a marked trait of Americans, it can not be proved by consulting history. This country became the leading industrial nation of the world not by extravagance but by thrift.

WITHOUT A COUNTRY

The man without a country often has been featured in song and story. His plight was presumed to be hopeless. None was more entitled to sympathy than the person who had no flag to protect him.

A global war has increased the number of unclaimed men, women and children to a figure between 1,000,000 and 2,000,000. If the first figure is the correct estimate, there is hope the problem may eventually be solved. If 2,000,000,000 is nearer the correct figure, interrelated refugee authorities admit they can only shiver with dismay.

Thousands of these now are in the United States and will pose a pretty problem for the State Department when the war is over. These are peoples who literally have had their countries shot out from under them. They have no national status, having been forced to leave native lands after being repudiated as citizens of those countries.

They have no passports. United States immigration authorities, not too well informed on the subject, are keeping what information they possess secret to discourage unfavorable comment on the administration's immigration policy.

In recent years there has been a tightening of immigration quotas for the United States, and there is certain to be opposition to a general letting down of bars to give citizenship to these refugees. Much will be heard of the problem of these refugees in post-war years.

Japs are reported starving to death in New Guinea. So sorry.

CHURCH NEWS FICTION OTHER INTERESTS

REV. HUBERT BROYLES TO DELIVER SERMON

In Presbyterian Church of Our Saviour On The Coming Sabbath

HOURS OF SERVICES

In the Presbyterian Church of Our Saviour, at the Sunday morning service, 10 o'clock, the Rev. E. Hubert Broyles, D. D., director of field work of the Presbytery of Philadelphia, will visit the church with an important pre-Lenten message.

The Church of Our Saviour was recently honored by the office of the chief chaplain of the U. S. Army with a loyalty certificate in behalf of Dr. Andrew G. Solla, its pastor, in acknowledgement of his three years of service as chaplain (major) with the army. Dr. Solla is at present stationed at the 182nd General Hospital, New Orleans, La.

At the evening Sunday service, the Rev. F. J. Panetta, supply pastor, will speak.

St. James' P. E. Church

Services for Sunday: Eight a. m., Holy Communion; 9:30, Church School and Bible classes; 10:45, morning prayer and sermon.

The Mother's Guild will meet on Tuesday in the parish house; February 23rd being Ash Wednesday, there will be Litany, Penitential Office and Holy Communion at 9:30 a. m., with brief address, and evening prayer and sermon at eight p. m.

A meeting for men of the parish will be held on Tuesday evening at eight in the parish house. New Forward Books for Lent will be at the church on Sunday.

Calvary Baptist Church

The Rev. Lehman Strauss, pastor; Sunday: 9:45 a. m., Bible School, for all age groups, free bus transportation; 11, morning worship, studies in Galatians, reception of new members; 6:45 p. m., young people's meeting; 7:45 p. m., evangelistic service, inspirational hymn sing with the orchestra, message by the pastor, "Belshazzar—The Handwriting on the Wall."

Thursday evening, 7:45, prayer for our nation and for the boys in the service.

Sunday evening, 6:30 to seven, radio broadcast, "Nazarene Hour," station WTNJ.

Bethel A. M. E. Church

Sunday, the Rev. J. H. Queen, pastor; 10 a. m., Sunday School; 11 a. m., preaching by the pastor; seven p. m., A. C. E. and B. Y. P. U. meeting; eight p. m., Union service, preaching by the Rev. E. D. Fells.

First Baptist Church

Walnut and Cedar streets, the Rev. L. Clark, Th. M., pastor; Bible School, 9:45 a. m., with John Weik, superintendent; morning worship, at 11, with anthems by the junior and senior choirs, the sermon "Man—Three in One," continuing study in I. Thessalonians; 7:45 p. m., in charge of the devotional committee, with Mrs. VanDine bringing the message.

Evening worship, at 7:45, will be largely a musical one, with a song—spirational tune, anthems by the junior and senior choirs. The sermon will be the sixth miracle recorded in John's Gospel, "The Two Men Who Walked On Water."

Announcements: Tuesday, junior choir practice, at seven p. m.; Wednesday, prayer and praise service, 7:30, senior choir rehearsal, 8:45; Thursday, the "Happy Bible Hour" for boys and girls of Bristol in the church at seven p. m., featuring a photograph and object lesson.

Bristol Nazarene Tabernacle

Church of the Nazarene, Trades Hall, Wood street, John Wesley Maybury, pastor; Preaching Sunday at three p. m., a message on the mission of the church, "Chosen To Serve," evening service, 7:45, song and praise service, message by pastor, topic "The Man Who Let Go."

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Bristol Presbyterian Church

The services in Bristol Presbyterian Church on the Sabbath will be as follows: 9:45 a. m., Church School, under direction of Adrian Busstraan, acting superintendent; 10 a. m., men's Bible class, taught by the Rev. James R. Galley; 11, morning worship service, sermon by the pastor, "A Wise Man's Conclusion;" seven p. m., senior Christian Endeavor; eight, evening worship service, the pastor will continue his series of studies in the Westminster Shorter Catechism.

Club Members View Beauties of West

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from a chance remark on a rainy spring day that made one think of far-off places. And within a week he and three of his students were en route across the plains endeavoring to endure the heat until the cooler air of the Rockies was reached.

The speaker, aided by two students, showed a number of slides, some in color and some in black and white. Highlights of the trip shown were Estes Park, the Garden of the Gods, Will Rogers Memorial on Cheyenne Mountain,

Grand Canyon of the Colorado

Mesa Verde Park, and Bryce and Yellowstone National Parks.

The trip of students who accompanied the teacher on the trip was: George Molden, Richard Marchena, and Albert Dowden, Jr. The four travelers, stated Mr. Burris, made the 21-day motor tour at the cost of only \$100 apiece. A distance of 6300 miles was traversed.

He displayed the air conditioner used to keep the car cool for desert travel, and also showed some pottery and woven goods made by the Indians.

The business meeting was in charge of the vice-president, Mrs. Harry Neher. Following the flag salute, the members sang "America," with Mrs. David Sheerer, Jr., at the piano. Minutes were read by Mrs. George E. Boswell. During membership balloting, the hostesses, Mrs. Franklin Wallin and Mrs. Stanley Whittemore, served as tellers.

The presiding officer requested chairmen of all departments to have their annual reports in the hands of their respective county chairmen by February 25th.

Named as members of a nominating committee are: Mrs. Earl Tomb, chairman; Mrs. Roy Tracy and Mrs. Elwood P. Goslin. The second reading of the proposed amendment to the by-laws, increasing membership limit of the club from 100 to 125, was by Mrs. Emil Metzger. The amendment was adopted.

Mrs. Neher informed that a book review will take place at the next meeting, with a food exchange preceding the review. Mrs. Frank Lehman reminded members that proceeds of the food sale will be turned over to the Red Cross war fund.

Musical offerings of the afternoon included piano selections by Mrs. Sheerer and vocal numbers by Mrs. Donald Moyer, Mrs. Sheerer played, "Second Arabesque" (Debussy), "Prelude in G Minor" (Rachmaninoff), and "The Butterfly" (Grieg). The offerings of Mrs. Moyer were "House So Fair" from "Martha" and "Drink To Me Only With Thine Eyes."

RESIGNS POST

MORRISVILLE, Feb. 19—Harold D. Kellett, who has been general superintendent of the Starkey Farms for a number of years, has resigned and taken charge of the Robert and William Baker Farms, near Fallsington.

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ELIZABETH RITA WOLF, Administratrix,
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Or to her attorney,
JOHN LESLIE KILCOYNE, Esq., 505 Bath Street, Bristol, Penna. 1-22-6tow.

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Announcements

Deaths
JONES—At Abington, Pa., February 17, 1944, Anna D. (nee Bell), wife of Milton Jones. Relatives and friends, also Bristol Council No. 58, Daughters of America, are invited to the services at the Rachel Funeral Home, 314 Cedar St., on Monday, at 2 o'clock. Interment Bristol Cemetery. Friends may call Sunday evening.

McMAHON—At Philadelphia, Pa., February 17, 1944, Dennis, son of the late John and Anna McMahon. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral from the William J. Murphy Estate Funeral Parlor, 316 Jefferson Ave., on Monday at 9 a. m. High Requiem Mass in St. Mark's Church at 10 o'clock. Interment St. Mark's Cemetery. Friends may call Sunday evening.

POLLARD—Suddenly, at Bristol, Pa., February 17, 1944, George, husband of Margaret Pollard. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral from his late residence, 335 Barry Place, on Monday at 2 p. m. Interment St. Mark's Cemetery. Friends may call Sunday evening.

FERGUSON—At Bristol, Pa., husband of Catherine Ferguson. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral on Tuesday at 9 a. m. from William J. Murphy Estate, Funeral Parlor, 316 Jefferson Ave., High Requiem Mass in St. Mark's Church at 10 o'clock. Interment St. Mark's Cemetery.

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THE RED CARNATION by BURTON STEVENSON

CHAPTER FIFTEEN

Tony replaced the receiver in its cradle, spread out his notes and started to work. An hour later, with a sigh of satisfaction, he pulled the last sheet of paper from the machine, read over what he had written, made a correction or two, folded all the sheets together and slipped them into a long envelope addressed to the city editor of the Record. He placed the envelope on his desk where Clarence would find it when the messenger arrived who came up every morning from the office. It was a good column, he thought, as he got up and stretched. Better than average, anyway.

Only three paragraphs had anything to do with the people of this story:

Rhino not Reno—Lily Edgerton started for Reno yesterday as per schedule, but on route, excited by a woman's provocative, changed her mind and decided to stick to Rhino. So she left the train at Buffalo and hurried back to New York. Nobody knows how Rhino feels, but he also may decide that it is time to settle down. As Whittier once said, "Death softens all resentments."

I Said the Sparrow—Who killed Jack McKibben? Was it a man he had robbed of his money, or a woman he had robbed of her reputation? Or was it that handsome, dark-skinned youth with the soft southern accent who was chasing him all evening, fire in his eye and a pistol in his pocket?

One Up and One to Go—But why did the murderer place a blood-stained carnation on the lapel of the dead man's coat—stained with blood, not McKibben's? Nobody has found an answer as yet to that one. And why did he fire a bullet through the mattress of McKibben's bed? The answer is that "Mack" was not killed with his own gun. He could not have been, for he had it in his pocket all evening. The bullet found beneath his body had not passed through his heart. It had passed through his mattress.

Duffy came in about noon next day, just as Tony was starting to go through his mail. He sat down, got out a cigar and glanced amiably at the gloves Tony was wearing.

"You handle your letters as though they were poison," he said. "Some of them are—this one, for example," and Tony pushed across the desk a letter written in a clumsily disguised feminine hand on a sheet of pearl gray, faintly scented note paper.

Duffy leaned forward and read it without touching it:

It would be interesting to know the name of the overplump blonde in a milk coat who spent Monday night with a well-known vengeance artist in West 52nd Street. If her first name happens to be Cecile, there will be the devil to pay in a certain Park Avenue penthouse not so far from 68th Street, when her husband gets back from Chicago.

"Some jealous hussy trying to get even," Duffy commented. "Probably

the regular girl friend of the swing-dance artist," Tony agreed. "Cecile should have been more careful. It's astonishing how careless all the Ceciles get when they really want something." He picked up the note and sniffed at it. "Maybe this poison penster will put the husband wise. Maybe she'll try blackmail. Maybe she'll get hold of a pistol and take a shot at somebody—and then there's more work for the homicide squad."

"Something like the McKibben case?"

"Yes—something like it. Do you wonder I would like to keep my fingerprints off anything like that?"

"But you can't use that sort of stuff. It's libelous."

"Only if somebody comes forward to say the cap fits," Tony pointed out, "and that almost never happens. But I don't use tantalizers—that's what we call items without names—I leave that to some of my competitors. I think I know the answer in this case," he added, looking at the letter appraisingly, "so I'll file this carefully away until something breaks."

"I suppose you read the papers this morning?" asked the detective.

"Of course, I always do."

"They're ragging me because there hasn't been any arrest."

"I noticed. I also noticed that you'd indicated an arrest might be expected today. Have you any idea who?"

"I sort of thought it might be that handsome, soft-speaking southerner you've been writing about."

"Have you got anything on him?"

"Only that he was chasing McKibben, and had a lump in his pocket."

"Do you know who he is?"

"Not yet, but I'll find him."

"Have you found the girl?"

"No, but I have a hunch that I'm going to find both of them in the same place," said Duffy slowly. "As I figure it out, it was on account of the girl that the boy was after McKibben."

"Yes, I think you're right," Tony nodded.

"Suppose you tell me all you know about him," the detective suggested.

So Tony told him all he knew, while Duffy listened thoughtfully, rolling his cigar from one side of his mouth to the other. "And what about that bullet hole in the mattress?" he asked.

"You've seen it?"

"Yes. I went around this morning."

"And you saw the skillet?"

"Yes. I noticed that, too."

"Well, there is only one possible explanation, McKibben wasn't shot with his own gun. He had it with him."

"Yes—Lily Edgerton told me."

"The murderer used a high-power cartridge which sent the bullet right through McKibben's body. Then he picked up the bullet and the shell, got McKibben's gun out of his pocket, or out of the drawer if he'd put it back there, placed the skillet under the bed, fired a shot; at it through the mattress, retrieved the bullet, placed it under the body, and the shell on the floor beside it."

"Sounds plausible," Duffy agreed. "I went through McKibben's

apartment last night, as I told you over the phone," Tony continued, "but I didn't find anything except that bullet hole. McKibben's boy says there is a towel missing from the bathroom."

"Yes, he told me. Can you make anything of that?"

"Not a thing. But it certainly seems to me it would be dead easy to get into the place from the windows just above the terrace."

"I thought of that myself," said Duffy, "and I looked the ground over. There are two apartments on the seventh floor which have windows overlooking the terrace. One is occupied by a psychotherapist named Jerome Metcalf and the other by a fellow named Dudley Graham, who is a nephew of Herschel Schneider, the lawyer. Schneider is attorney for the company which owns the building. The original company went into bankruptcy a few years ago, and he organized another which bought the place for about twenty cents on the dollar. He took over for himself the penthouse on top of the building where he has been living ever since. Quite a swell place, they tell me. That's when McKibben moved in too. He had placed some of the bonds for Schneider and I imagine got a rebate on his rent."

Tony couldn't help smiling at Duffy's tone. Schneider's many triumphs in the courts hadn't endeared him to the police.

"Maybe you'll get something on him some day," he said.

"I hope so!" Duffy grunted. "This Dr. Metcalf strikes me as pretty smooth, too. He has had his office there for a couple of years and must have a good practice from the look of things."

"He has," nodded Tony. "One of the best in New York. I've heard of him. Neurotic women flock to him."

"He looks sort of like it. Quite a showy person, with shiny black eyes and a little black beard. I had a talk with him. He says he didn't hear any row or any shot at McKibben's place Monday night. He's a bachelor and has one servant, a Jap. During office hours he also has a receptionist—a looker."

"Did he know McKibben?" Tony asked.

"Yes. He was one of his customers. Said he had lost quite a lot. I haven't had a chance to check that yet. He was polite enough, but I could see he was not telling me any more than he had to. I'm going to keep an eye on him."

"I would," Tony nodded.

"This Graham, who has the other flat," Duffy went on, "acts as a sort of agent for his uncle. He's starved, but I understand he plays around a good deal."

"I've seen him at Max's," said the columnist. "He's got a good-looking wife. I remember he had some sort of run-in with McKibben once, but I don't know what it was about. It might have been about his wife."

"He couldn't have had anything to do with this, because he has been out in Hollywood for the past month, looking after some of Schneider's movie interests."

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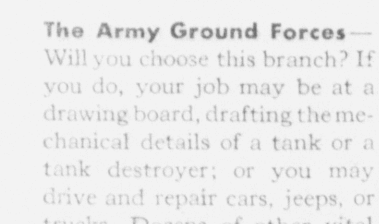


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Club Women Reminded Of Great Beauties of Penna.

NEWTOWN, Feb. 19.—Appearing before members of the New Century Club, Thursday afternoon, Dr. Walter H. Mohr of the George School faculty, stated that residents of Pennsylvania too often overlook the beautiful scenery to be found in this state. His subject was "Pennsylvania's Contribution to the Development of Our Nation."

Tourists from the state, he said, will often cross the boundary lines into other states in search of beauty spots, but right at their own door it is possible to find places of great beauty.

The meeting, which was attended by about 50 persons, including a delegation of 15 or 20 members of Lainghorne Sorosis, was in charge of the president, Mrs. William V. Loughery, and during the very brief business session a few announcements were made.

Introduced by Mrs. Loughery, the guest speaker declared the people of the Middle Atlantic States are not as conscious of the scenic beauty and the resources of Pennsylvania as are the people in the South, West and the New England section.

In a Personal Way ---

INTERESTING items of news mainly about people you know. A chronicle of the activities of the people of Bristol; their goings and comings. ---

To arrange for publication of weddings, telephone The Bristol Courier, Bristol 846, notifying at least a few days in advance the date of ceremony. Engagement announcements must be submitted in writing.

Miss Alice McLaughlin, Beaver street, is recuperating from several days' illness.

Mrs. Clifford Appleton, Walnut street, spent Monday with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Mason, Frankford.

Mrs. Mary McLaughlin, and Gail Brown, Swain street, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence McLaughlin, Florence, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Whyatt and daughter, Enid, and Mrs. Thomas Campion, Wilson avenue, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Campion, Sr., Abington.

Mrs. Arthur Ludwig, New Buckle street, is recuperating from a week's illness of gripe. William Ludwig had his tonsils removed at the Wagner hospital on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Klepczynski and daughter Lorraine, and Mrs. Julius Vodable and daughter Agnes, Hayes street, visited Mr. and Mrs. William Klepczynski, Philadelphia, on Sunday.

Joseph Crudo, Penn street, returned from a visit with friends in Washington, D. C., and several days' sojourn in Florida.

Mrs. Nelson G. Brace, North Radcliffe street, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. George Horn, Irvington, N. J.

Mrs. Anthony Mama and Mrs.

Today's Quiet Moment (By the Rev. James R. Galley) Pastor Bristol Presbyterian Church

O God, our Heavenly Father, we thank Thee that we may know Thee as our Father. We thank Thee that we can come to Thee as children to a Father and confess our failures and our needs, knowing that our petitions will fall on loving ears and that a loving heart will answer our supplications. May we be faithful children, O God, and bring honor and glory to Thee. May we see our responsibilities to Thee and fulfill them. May we see our place of privilege as an heir of God and a joint heir of Jesus Christ. May we strive to bring others into this unique relationship with Thee, that the message of Christ might create a fellowship between peoples and nations in which peace might dwell. Through Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen.

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GRAND THEATRE

Helen Ford, Hayes street, spent a day this week visiting relatives of Mrs. Ford in Burlington, N. J.

Mrs. Martha Dudzik and daughter Gail Veronica, Hayes street, visited relatives in Carteret and Perth Amboy, N. J., over the week-end.

Theodore Kryven, S. 2/c, Newport, R. I., spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kryven, Hayes street.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Goslin, Jr., Belmar, N. J., were Wednesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Goslin, Sr., Market street.

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Radio's top crime expert matches wits with six murder suspects in the second screen translation of the famous Max Marcin radio program. "Crime Doctor's Strangest

Case" now playing at the Bristol Theatre, is a story of primitive passions... dark hatreds... The boy with man-sized troubles, Henry Aldrich, has himself a few

that would stump even Mr. Anthony. You'll find Henry and his new bundle of woes in Paramount's comedy, "Henry Aldrich Swings It," which will arrive Sunday at the

Bristol Theatre. Jimmy Lydon will be seen as Henry, Charles Smith as Dizzy, supported by John Littel, Olive Blakeney, Mimi Chandler and Vaughan Glaser.

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BRISTOL HIGH SCORES FOURTH WIN OF THE SEASON, DEFEATING P. S. D. BY SCORE OF 30 TO 18

Unleashing its scoring attack in the second and third periods, Bristol High scored its fourth triumph of the season last night on the local floor, topping the Pennsylvania School for Deaf five, 30-18. The victory avenged an early season defeat given the Bunnies by the P. S. D. team.

Facing the victory for the boys of Coach Bartholomew were "Toby" Oriola and "Chuck" Fischer. Oriola scored his field goals in pairs and on both occasions they gave Bristol a comfortable lead. Added to his four field goals Oriola had a foul while Fischer had four double-deckers.

It was a felder by Calvin Solla in the second period that started Bristol on the road to victory. The localities had trouble in getting the range of the basket and 7½ minutes of the first period had elapsed before Fischer scored a goal. It was 6-4 in the second period when Solla tied the count and Collins gave Bristol the lead with a double-decker under the basket.

Oriola then followed with a duo of baskets in quick succession and Bristol's margin was safe for the half. When P. S. D. began to cut into the Bristol score in the third period, Oriola again registered a pair of twin-pointers to make the game safe. The visitors scored but one point in the final period.

Jack Christine led the losers in scoring with ten points while Sutcliffe played a fine floor game.

Line-ups:		P.G.	F.G.	FT.	Tot.
Bristol					
Fischer	f	3	2	6	8
Solla	f	0	0	1	0
Collins	g	2	0	0	4
St. Devitt	c	1	1	1	3
Emmelt	g	0	0	0	0
Mandio	g	0	0	0	0
Oriola	g	4	1	2	9
Walters	g	0	0	0	0
Johnson	g	0	0	0	0
P. S. D.					
Christine	f	4	2	5	10
Sutcliffe	f	0	0	0	0
Halsey	f	0	0	0	0
Cory	c	1	1	1	3
Hoshauger	g	0	0	0	0
Valonis	g	1	0	0	2
Drum	g	1	0	0	2
Shickman	g	0	1	1	2
Coolley	g	0	0	0	0
		7	4	9	18

Referee: Meyers and Erb.
Timer: Fraser.
Scorer: Praksta.
Half-time score:
Bristol, 13; P. S. D., 7.

THE GREAT GAME OF POLITICS

By FRANK R. KENT

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servatives. And it is known that greater effort on his part would be required to renominate Mr. Wallace in 1944, as in 1940, than anyone else. Yet, there is no doubt that he can do it if he wishes. So far as the convention is concerned, it is a one-man affair and he will get what he asks.

AS THINGS are today, most party leaders believe that the President's purpose is to toss Mr. Wallace into the discard and that there is nothing Mr. Wallace can do to prevent it. Probably, they are right, but it isn't an easy thing to do and there is another side to it. There is, for example, the fact that this theory that States can be carried for a Presidential candidate by nominating favorite sons for Vice-President, is an illusion. No one can recall any election in which any State was won or lost because of the Vice-Presidential candidate. It is the head of the ticket that counts; not the tail.

THERE IS no real evidence of any Vice-Presidential candidate who either elected a ticket or brought about its defeat. Those who cite the selection of Mr. Charles Bryan as running mate for John W. Davis in 1924 cannot sustain the point. If Mr. Davis had had the Angel Gabriel as his running mate he could not have defeated Mr. Coolidge that year. No one could. But, there is a sentimental argument for Mr. Wallace as well as this practical one. It would be an act of cold-blooded, calculated cruelty to throw him overboard. It is true that there would be no political risk therein. Mr. Wallace will neither help nor hurt Mr. Roosevelt as a candidate.

IF HE is dropped, the radicals, the CIO leaders, the Communists and the crackpots would still vote for Mr. Roosevelt because there would be no other place to go. And, if he is on the ticket, he couldn't contribute anything that Mr. Roosevelt has not already. Nevertheless, the fruitfulness of refusing him renomination would be such that there are plenty who doubt, despite the reasoning about a "new face," that Mr. Roosevelt can bring himself to do it. For one thing, there is the complete and undeviating loyalty of Mr. Wallace, personally and politically.

FOR ANOTHER, there is the fact that the much-criticized speeches of Mr. Wallace in which he assails business, inveighs against the rich, exalts labor unions, speaks of the

vet has not denounced; he praises everything Mr. Roosevelt has praised.

CONSIDERING all the circumstances, it is not safe yet to rule Mr. Wallace out of the race, though the odds seem against him. In the meantime he probably will continue his unprecedented campaign. It cannot be recalled that a loyal Vice-President ever undertook such a fight before. None can be recalled who had to. The anxiety of Mr. Wallace is painful to observe. His grief if he is given the "bum's rush" by his hero whose election for a fourth term he so ardently urges will be great. His humiliation would be public and profound. Perhaps, Mr. Roosevelt can convince him that, dearly as he wants him again, he could not join his nomination through. Perhaps, Mr. Wallace will be naive enough to believe that. But, not many others will. The thing that looks particularly bad for the Vice-President is that the men whose views and attitude Mr. Roosevelt can most easily control are most vocal in asserting that "Henry won't do."

Return To Tunisia; Writer Visits Battlefields

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"Chuck," lettered on the back, was presiding at his great stove "doing things" to some eggs with mushrooms and a generous portion of French fried potatoes.

Papa has a way with eggs. The boys who stayed at the hotel always said it, and if I needed proof, I got it tonight. About the time I was sitting down at one of the tables in the big kitchen to do something about them, along with Mama, Papa, Roger and the Flagolet's second son, Camille, the Feriana postmaster, Louis Pair, dropped in for a glass of wine and a chat. Soon, the highway commissioner, Francois Kohler, arrived. Then, the chief of the gendarmes, Aime Klein and the station master, Jean Tarrade.

With the assistance of two French Camel Corps officers, Eugene Bottero and Milce Laurent, who had stopped for the night at the hotel, a lively discussion was underway in a few minutes with Papa, standing with his back to the stove, hands clasped behind him, presiding. It brought down the house when Roger told the crowd a story.

I had related to him earlier about Jack Thompson falling asleep in a barber chair during the Cairo conference and waking up just in time to save a remnant of his once-

extensive beard, which an ambitious barber was shearing off.

It is like that every evening at the Feriana hotel. It was like that a year ago, except that American officers, soldiers and correspondents were frequent participants then. One of the characters the good folk of Feriana frequently mention in their hotel sessions is Col. Edson D. Raff, commander of a battalion of paratroopers, who camped and fought in the Feriana-Gafsa area for several months in the early part of the Tunisian war.

They affectionately refer to Raff as "The Little Colonel" because he was slight of stature, and then they say, "c'etait un homme celtique," which, if my translation is correct, is "there was a man."

The American fliers who waged a gallant war of their own against the Germans in those early days from the Thelpte airfields six miles north of Feriana also used to drop in at the hotel for relaxation and a few drinks.

Among them were Col. William W. Momyer of Seattle, Wash., commander of the famous 23rd P-40 Warhawk fighter group; Maj. Levi R. Chase of Cortland, N. Y., still the second-highest scoring American pilot in the Mediterranean theater, with 11 enemy planes to his credit, and the fabulous Phil Cochran of Erie, Pa., then a major, now a lieutenant colonel, who is known to readers of a popular comic strip as "Flip Corkin."

Dinner is over, now, and after serving the liqueur, Papa Flagolet has resumed his position with his back to the stove. Mama is knitting a pair of gloves for Roger to take back to school, and Camille has moved over to join the discussion, which is warm but friendly. Outside, the January wind is whistling by, and the kerosene lamps here in the kitchen are flickering a little, as though from its blast.

There was never much fighting around Feriana, but there was always good lodging here and I am wondering how many Americans in

the early months of the Battle for Tunisia enjoyed the Flagolet hospitality, the Flagolet food and the Flagolet discussions as much as I am enjoying them now, one year later.

Barbara Lee Cox, Aged Two, Has A Celebration

Barbara Lee Cox, daughter of Mrs. Altha Cox, Mill street, was given a party on Wednesday afternoon at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Clayton Bintliff, Edgely. Barbara Lee was two years old, and the boys and girls attending played with toys.

Refreshments were served amid decorations of pink and white. Favors were small green baskets of candy. Barbara Lee received many gifts.

Those present: Jean Lewis, Lee Bintliff, Marilyn and Beverley Bintliff, David and Laurel Flail, Vincent and Robert Force, Robert Richman, Mark McCoy, Mrs. John Smith, Mrs. George Bintliff, Mrs. Howard Bintliff, Mrs. Russell Flail, Mrs. Randall Yeagle, Mrs. Vincent Force, Mrs. Clarence McCoy, Mrs. Clayton Bintliff, Mrs. Altha Cox.

Triple Celebration Is Conducted at Andalusia

ANDALUSIA, Feb. 19 — The monthly meeting of the Mother's Auxiliary of the Boy Scouts was held on Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Charles Osterman.

A shower was given for Mrs. John Witbac, and the birthday anniversaries of Mrs. Witbac and Mrs. George Bloch were celebrated. Both received many gifts.

Those attending: Mrs. H. Hughes, Mrs. Pauline Bentz, Mrs. S. Czarnicki, of Cornwells Heights; Mrs. Witbac, Mrs. J. Farrer, Mrs. G. Bildmager, Mrs. K. Lear, Mrs. H. Crowthers, Mrs. William Lange, Mrs. G. Bloch, Mrs. H. Oliver, Mrs. K. Smith, of Andalusia; Mrs. P. Jones and Mrs. H. Kister, of Edgington; Mrs. Warren Pickersgill.

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BLOOM SCORES BIG FOR FLEETWINGS IN VICTORY OVER NAVY

Arrow Five Takes Game By
the Score of
42 to 27

BLOOM GETS 9 GOALS

Devon Smith Registers Five
Field Goals and Three
From Foul Mark

"Mike" Bloom racked up 25 points last night on the high school floor as the Fleetwings Arrows staged a second half scoring spree to win over the Navy Receiving five, of Philadelphia, 42-27.

Bloom's total for the night was nine field goals and seven out of eight fouls. His mate, Devon Smith, registered five field goals and three fouls to total 13 points. The other points were field goals by George Freidman and Ed Des Lauriers.

The Navy team did its playing in the first half when they succeeded in holding Fleetwings to a 15-11 count and at no time did the Arrows have more than a four point lead. In fact, on two occasions the boys from the Philadelphia Navy Yard had the lead.

But in the second half, the Navy team which was composed of players who were stars in their younger days, began to wilt and soon the Arrows began to score at will while the "gobs" had trouble in catching up with their foes. The Arrows' players kept feeding the ball to Bloom and Smith who dropped them through the hoop without difficulty.

In the Navy line-up were such players as "Rusty" Saunders who played in Bristol about 15 years ago and who at one time was considered one of the best pivot men in the east; Tom Frye, former All-American count star from Wisconsin; and Pat O'Dea, star of Brooklyn several years ago.

Saunders, weighing 25 pounds heavier than when he was in his prime, showed the local fans that he can still get around the court by playing the entire game and towards the finish sunk in a shot from the middle of the court. O'Dea led the losing team in scoring with 11 points.

Fleetwings	P.G.	F.G.	FT.	Tot.
Smith	5	3	5	13
Delvich	0	0	0	0
Bloom	9	7	9	25
Friedman	1	0	0	2
Des Lauriers	1	1	0	2
Conti	0	0	0	0
	16	10	13	42
Navy Recruiting				
Stamm	0	2	2	2
Saunders	1	2	4	4
O'Dea	7	1	11	11
Corry	0	0	0	0
DelBride	0	0	0	0
Frye	2	1	2	5
Battie	1	1	2	3
Schmitt	0	0	0	0
Fowler	1	0	0	2
	19	7	12	27

Referee: Jones.
Timer: Praksta.
Scorer: Juno.
Half-time score:
Fleetwings, 15; Navy Rec., 11.

successful in tones of reproach, preaches that the size of the national debt is unimportant and favors more and more Government control and Federal centralization, are all echoes of Mr. Roosevelt's own thoughts and words. They are in entire harmony with the President's speeches, messages and policies of the past ten years. He denounces nothing that Mr. Roose-

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memorial for the men and women of this community serving in the present World War, took place this week at the meeting of Doylestown Post No. 175, Veterans of Foreign Wars.

For some months the local post has had plans and has set aside a tidy sum of money in its home building fund for the future erection of a new home and recreation center outside of the borough limits, but near town, but this will in no way interfere with the Vets' getting behind the community memorial idea 100 per cent.

An expression of opinion on the part of the "Vets" was voiced against the erection of any type of memorial.

Post Commander E. A. Jepsen tends to appoint an active committee of veterans of the local post assist in raising the memorial fund and cooperate in any way with an over-all committee which will be appointed shortly.

CROYDON

Fred Arleth, F. 2/c, was home on a three-day leave visiting his family. He finished his "boot" training on December 15th and since then has been on sea duty. He returned to his ship on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Friel have received word that their son, PFC Francis Friel, has arrived overseas. Mrs. Albert Bunting and Miss Anna Bunting, of Wrightstown, were Wednesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wilkinson.

Nicholas Bretz left on Wednesday for duty with the U. S. Navy.

Nine Selectees Pass; Inducted at Allentown

QUAKERTOWN, Feb. 19 — Nine selectees who passed their pre-induction physical examination in Allentown on January 22nd, reported for training, five in the Navy and four to a ship repair unit of the Navy, at Allentown, Wednesday. They are:

Russell David Cressman, 23, 629 Buttonwood street, Perkasie; Joseph Daniels, 28, Ridge road, Allentown; Richard J. Schulberger, 21, Bucksville; Walter H. Gahler, 20, Ottsville; Lester E. Kunsman, 18, Riegelsville, all inducted into the Navy.

Joseph E. Linsenmann, 33, Upper Black Eddy; Albert Mayer, 26, Coopersburg RD; Charles A. Shinn, 28, Richlandtown; and David C. Baskin, 31, Upper Black Eddy, all inducted into the ship repair unit of the Navy.

Community Athletic Field Endorsed at Doylestown

DOYLESTOWN, Feb. 19 — Unanimous endorsement of the community athletic field idea as a fitting

has been filed by Mrs. Walter H. Gillette, chairman. There was a total of \$11,200 worth of bonds sold, which is \$3650 over the amount purchased during the Third War Loan Campaign.

"As in the last drive," said Mrs. Gillette, "it was the younger generation that forged ahead in their bond sales."

Harry Robinson again heads the list of salesmen selling \$4,075 worth of bonds. Rath and Marion Matlocks, \$1900.

The Girl Scout Troop, No. 1, of Newportville, under the leadership of Mrs. John J. Laris, collected \$2,200.

To these patriotic workers the Blue Star Brigade Bar will be awarded, an honor bestowed upon those selling more than \$1,000 in bonds during the drive, by the government.

Mrs. Gillette, elated over her workers surpassing the amount attained in the last campaign, continued, "With such conscientious and zealous young salesmen I am confident that the 5th War Loan drive will be even more successful than this one." Mrs. Gillette's assistants in the drive were Mrs. Ella Munchback and Mrs. Russell Bronsback.

Here and There In Bucks County Towns

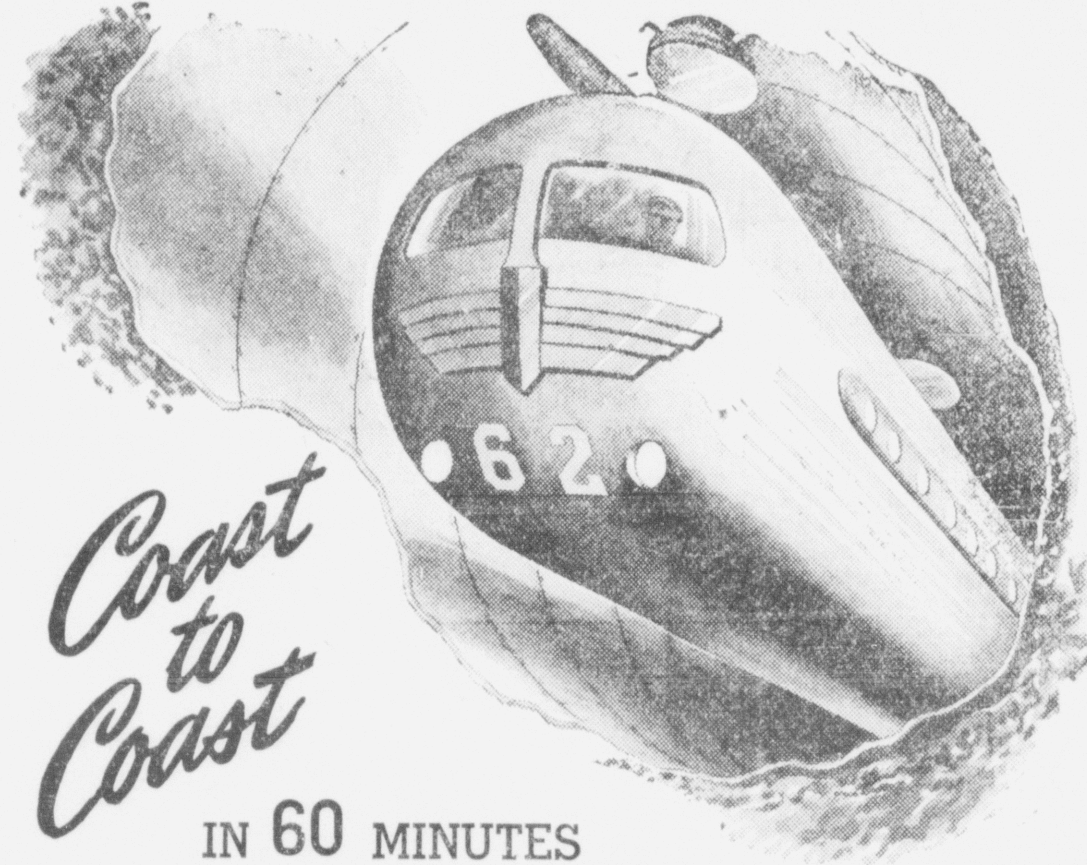
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Buckingham high school, won second place in the State project contest. The award, a silver trophy, was made to Daniels at the meeting of the chapter on Tuesday.

Daniels' project consisted of 13 pure-bred Chester white pigs. By efficient operation, he earned a labor income of \$237.

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